

# CHINA



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**AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.**  
LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,  
Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30,  
Cordell. GORDON & GOTH, 121, Hol-  
born Hill. E. C. HATES HENRY & CO.,  
4 Old Jewry, E.C.  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTH, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.  
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports  
generally.—WHITE & BAVER, San  
Francisco.  
CHINA.—SWATOW, DROWN & CO. Amoy,  
Gins & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON &  
Co. Shanghai, H. ROSE & CO. Ma-  
nila, C. KAPUT & CO.

**Arrivals.**  
Oct. 31, 3 a.m., *Sunda*, British steamer,  
1850, Swatow, Yokohama, Oct. 14, 1 a.m.,  
400 tons, 2000 cases Silk Worn  
Wear.—F. & O. Co.

**Departures.**  
Oct. 21, Yaso, for Canton.  
21, *Tsuna*, for Shanghai.  
21, Sir J. Jejeebhoy, for Whampoa.  
21, *Guan Son*, for Saigon.  
21, *Joshua Bates*, for Whampoa.

**Passenger.**  
ARRIVED.—For *Sunda*, Messrs Pollet,  
Baralotto, F. Obay, Dister, Post Junr,  
Boscolo, Fondra, Postornello, Tartaglia,  
Caretta, Jala, Vignano, Marieth, Andrus,  
Abrogini, Thomas, Pasquado, Maggocchi,  
Bosani, Willini, Malugani, B. Severa,  
Chapman, Vermaur and 3 Chinese.

**Under Despatch.**  
For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—Per  
*Douglas*, on Saturday, the 24th instant, at  
Noon.

**New Advertisements.**  
FOR SALE.  
The 2 1/2 North German Brig  
"GAZELLE"  
of 190 Tons Register, built in  
1855 all of Oak copper-fastened  
and coppered. She ranges 8 1/2 L.H. in  
velocity until May 1873. The vessel is in  
first rate condition.  
SHEPHERD & CO. CLOUTIER & CO.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1868. n

**CONSIGNEES** of Cargo by the above  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading for countersignature,  
and to take immediate delivery of their  
Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-  
sel will be landed and stored at Consignee's  
risk and expense.  
THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

**SEALED TENDERS**, marked on the  
outside "Tenders for Helms," will be  
received until Noon on Saturday, the  
24th instant, for the supply of 750  
HELMETS with White Puggies, to be  
delivered at the Military Store Department,  
Hongkong.

A Size Roll can be seen and any further  
information obtained at the Commissariat  
Office.  
REDMOND UNIAKKE,  
Dep. Com. Gen.  
Controller's Office, Commissariat, China,  
Hongkong, October 20, 1868. oc24

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned begs to inform the  
Public of Hongkong that he has just  
opened The *Hongkong Hotel* at Coleman's  
Tavern, where he will personally super-  
intend his own Cuisine. He is prepared to  
take orders and deliver to any part of the  
City at the shortest notice. He is also ready  
to cater or take the management of Balls,  
Parties, &c. Having been several years  
Cook of the New York Club, he feels con-  
fidently, by a strict attention to business,  
to merit a share of public patronage.  
A.B.—Baked Pork and Beans, Thursday  
and Sunday. Fish Chowder, Tuesday and  
Friday.  
H. TRENT,  
Caterer.  
No. 198, Queen's Road West,  
Hongkong, October 17, 1868. nol7

**NOTICE.**  
MR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that  
he is now publishing a Series of 40  
Views of Hongkong, price \$25—  
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12  
20 do do, 10 by 8  
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from  
the Dragon Photographs.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. tf

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned returns thanks for past  
favours and would remind the Gentle-  
men at Hongkong, that the most agreeable  
health inspiring treats obtainable, can be  
had at the Hongkong Hotel, H.K. Dis-  
tinct Saloon. Constant moving punkah and  
showers of fragrant colour, which render the  
body cool and comfortable.  
Hair Cutting, ... .. \$0.75.  
Shampooing, ... .. 0.50.  
Shaving, ... .. 0.25.  
Hair cutting and Shampooing, 1.00.  
W. P. MOORE,  
Tonsorial Artist,  
Hongkong, August 20, 1868. oc29

**New Advertisements.**  
**73rd REGIMENT THEATRICALS.**  
By the kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel  
G. J. BURNES,  
The Amateurs of the above together with  
Miss MARION HARTLEY & Mr. J. B.  
HOLLAND,  
From the Principal Theatres Melbourne,  
Sydney and New Zealand,  
will perform at the  
GARRISON THEATRE,  
North Barracks,  
IN AID OF THE 73RD RELIEF FUND,  
on  
**Friday and Saturday,**  
The 23rd and 24th October, 1868,  
The Laughable Farce by J. SELBY, Esq.,  
Entitled the  
**Unfinished Gentleman.**  
Billy Downey, Mr. J. B. HOLLAND,  
Mary Chintz, Miss MARION HARTLEY.  
To be followed by a  
Song, "The Blind Boy," Mr. G. TURNER.  
The whole to conclude with the Scraming  
Farce, first performed at the Drury  
Lane Theatre, on Easter Monday,  
April 12th, 1868,  
Entitled  
**Special Performances.**  
Miss MARION HARTLEY.  
Sally.  
By the kind permission of the Colonel  
and Officers, the Band of the Regiment  
will be in attendance.  
Doors open at half-past 8; Performance  
to commence at 9 precisely.

**PRICES OF ADMISSION.**  
Reserve Seats, ... .. \$2.00.  
Front Seats, ... .. 1.00.  
Back Seats, ... .. 0.20.  
Tickets may be obtained at the Theatre  
from the Manager on the day of Perfor-  
mance, from 10 to 4 P.M., where a plan of the  
Theatre may be seen, also from the STAG  
HOLE, Messrs. GAYWARD & CO.,  
and Officers.  
Manager, Sergeant W. WEBB.  
Sally, ... ..  
MORRIS'S DIRECTORY FOR CHINA  
JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES,  
&c., &c., 1869.  
THE Undersigned begs to announce that  
the first volume of the above work  
will be published early in January 1869,  
and he requests that the schedules ad-  
dressed to the different residents be returned  
as soon as possible and that all foreigners  
lately arrived in China will kindly send  
their names for insertion without delay.  
Orders will be received by and copies can  
be obtained from Messrs DROWN & CO.  
Swatow, Messrs GILES & CO. Amoy, Messrs  
HEDGE & CO. Foochow, Shanghai Recorder  
Office Shanghai, Japan Times Office Yoko-  
hama, Messrs CASE & CO. Nagasaki, F.  
ALGAR, Esq. Clements Lane, London, and  
Messrs J. STRATMAN & CO. San Francisco,  
Hongkong.  
N.B.—All advertisements must be sent  
in not later than 15th November.  
Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned will not be responsible  
for any Debts contracted by the Offi-  
cers and Crew of the Dutch barque "*Pan-  
talon*."  
(Signed) F. VAN DER TAS,  
Master.  
Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

**NEW BOOK.**  
"The Old Philosopher"  
"Lau Tze."  
Translated from the Chinese  
by  
JOHN CHAMBERS, A.M.  
Price \$1.50.  
"The Origin of the Chinese" by the same  
author: Price \$1.  
Apply at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
or The London Mission House.  
Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

**HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY  
LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
ON and after Monday next, the 19th in-  
stant, the Charges for Board at the  
Company's Hotel will be reduced to the  
following scale:—  
For Board, to Residents or Non-resi-  
dents, \$45 a month.  
For 1 Breakfast, ... .. \$0.80.  
For 1 Dinner, ... .. 0.80.  
1 Dinner, ... .. 1.25.  
On and after Wednesday, the 21st inst.,  
no money will be taken at the Bar or in the  
Billiard Rooms. Tickets will be on Sale  
in the Bar and Billiard Rooms, price 25 cts.  
each, and Drinks and Games must be paid  
for by order.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
C. LANGDON DAVIES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 17, 1868. \*

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned being about to leave  
the Colony in a short time, requests  
all persons indebted to him to settle the  
amount of their respective Bills AT ONCE.  
C. HOCHSTETTER.  
Hongkong, October 15, 1868. oc22

**New Advertisements.**  
**CANTON RACES.**  
THE above Races will take place on Wed-  
nesday 16th and Thursday 17th De-  
cember next.  
Further particulars will be duly announ-  
ced.  
FRED. W. COARE,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. tf

**LONDON  
ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
Life Assurance.  
THE Undersigned are authorised to issue  
Life Policies for sums not exceeding  
\$5,000.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. tf

**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER  
AND LONDON.**  
THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai  
and Hankow; and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. tf

**HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS CO.,  
LIMITED.**  
TENDERS are invited for the Surplus  
TAR produced at the Works of the  
above for a period of 6 months, commencing  
from the 1st day of November next.  
The quantity produced is about 2500  
gallons per month.  
Tenders will be received until the 28th  
instant, by the Undersigned, from whom all  
further information may be obtained.  
The right to reject the highest or any  
tender is reserved.  
A. NEWTON,  
Manager.  
Gas Works,  
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. oc28

**NOTICE.**  
ALL Persons having claims against the  
Estate of the late firm of DENT & CO.,  
are requested to furnish particulars of the  
same to the Trustees, addressed to the care  
of Mr. E. WHEATLEY, Hongkong, on or be-  
fore the 30th November, 1868, in order to  
participate in the first dividend.  
V. KRESSER, Trustee of Debt of  
W. LEMANN, Co's Estate.  
Hongkong, September 18, 1868. no30

**NOTICE.**  
DOCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable  
rates, from English, French, Spanish,  
Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-  
nese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-  
dressed to "The China Mail" Office,  
2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

**FOR SALE AT EAST POINT.**  
Complete assortment of Lowmoor and  
A. Thorpe's PATENT and Sheet IRON,  
BAR, ROD, ANGLE IRON and RIVETS.  
Double Sheet, Spring and Blister STEEL,  
in round, square and flat bars. Babbles  
METAL, Rods and Pipes. GAS FITTINGS  
of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pres-  
sure GAUGES, FILES, PACKING and  
all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.  
RUSSELL & CO.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. mar10

**NOTICE.**  
THE Office of the WANCHAI STEAM BAKERY  
IS REMOVED to the Store of Messrs  
MACLEWEN & CO., where all orders address-  
ed to "WANCHAI STEAM BAKERY" will receive  
prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and  
CAKE constantly on hand.  
L. P. WARD,  
Proprietor.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1868. de3

**COALS.**  
THE Undersigned are prepared to Coal  
Steamers on the most reasonable  
terms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals  
now afloat in this Harbour or from fresh  
Welsh and Australian Coals in Store.  
ROB. S. WALKER & CO.  
Hongkong, September 22, 1868. tf

**Auctions.**  
**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
THE Undersigned will sell by Public  
Auction, on  
**THURSDAY,**  
the 22nd October, 1868, at 12 o'clock,  
at his Sales Room, "Commercial Bank  
Buildings,"  
100 dozen Claret.  
100 kegs Dutch Butter.  
200 boxes Yellow Soap.  
300 pieces Gingham.  
20 pieces White Flannel.  
1 case Linen Thread, assorted.  
100 dozen men's Stockings.  
60 women's do.  
2 1/2-burner Hanging Lamps.  
100 drums Turpentine.  
50 drums Black Paint.  
50 drums Red Lead.  
50 drums White do.  
And,  
8 cases each 10 pieces Spanish Stripes,  
assorted colours.  
Etc., Etc., Etc.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, October 20, 1868. oc22

**Auctions.**  
**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
THE Undersigned have received in-  
structions from the Trustees of DENT  
& Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction  
(if not previously disposed of by private  
sale), on  
**FRIDAY,**  
30th November, 1868, at 3 p.m., on the  
ground,  
THE BUILDINGS known as DENT &  
Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction, mea-  
suring 288 feet in frontage by 175 feet  
in depth, situated on Whiting Lane No. 7,  
and consisting of  
One DWELLING HOUSE in the  
Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the  
1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd  
Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out  
Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on,  
and a Godown below capable of holding  
about 2,000 Tons.  
The Centre BUILDING known as  
DENT & Co.'s Office, containing 8 Rooms,  
Comptroller's Quarters, Spacious Fire-  
proof Treasury and Godown, capable of  
holding about 1,000 Tons.  
One DWELLING HOUSE in the  
Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the  
1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor,  
with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices,  
&c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and  
a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons  
capacity.  
Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.  
These Buildings have only been erect-  
ed two years and are built of Granite and  
Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-  
out.  
The whole of this Property to be sold  
either in one or more lots to suit pur-  
chasers.  
TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the  
purchase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer, one third 2 months after sale,  
and the balance 4 months after sale, in  
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Transfer expenses to be borne by the  
purchasers.  
For further particulars or details of  
plans, apply to  
Messrs BRENNER & LAYCOCK,  
4, Austin Friars,  
Old Broad Street,  
London, E.C.  
Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned,  
MORGAN, LAMBERT & CO.  
Hongkong, October 16, 1868. noy20

**Banks.**  
**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.**  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF  
DOLLARS.  
COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman.—GEORGE JOHN HELLAND, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman.—GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR,  
SAMUEL D. SABOON, Esq.  
Esq. A. JACOT, Esq.  
WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq. J. P. DUNCANSON,  
Esq.  
JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq.  
And,  
E. R. BELLING, Esq.  
Managers.  
Hongkong, ... .. VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.  
Shanghai, ... .. DAVID MACLEWEN, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County  
Bank.

**HONGKONG.**  
INTEREST ALLOWED  
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate  
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily  
balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "  
LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities,  
and every description of Banking and  
Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts, granted on London, and the  
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,  
Australia, America, China and Japan.  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Offices of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned having PURCHASED  
the interest of the "WANCHAI STEAM  
BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-  
kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared  
to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD  
in various forms, to any part of the Co-  
lony.  
Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at  
low rates constantly on hand or baked in  
quantities at short notice.  
Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar  
BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.  
Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY,  
CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Sale-  
tinas and Cream TARTAR.  
FLOUR of best Brands constantly on  
hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or  
Pound.  
CAKE of all kinds baked to order.  
The above is under the Superintendence  
of Mr. JOSEPH P. PASSON, and all orders  
forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at  
Messrs. MACLEWEN & Co.'s will receive  
prompt attention.  
L. P. WARD.  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MAR-  
ITIMES DES MESSAGERIES  
IMPERIALES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.  
STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,  
POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,  
ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,  
MARSEILLES.  
BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,  
AND CALCUTTA.  
THE Company's steamship "*DONNA*,"  
Commandant BOURDON, will leave  
this Port for the above places, with MATES,  
PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO,  
the 26th instant, at 2 p.m.  
Cargo and Specie will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and  
accepted in transit through Marseilles for  
the principal places of Europe.  
Cargo will be received on board until 4  
p.m. of the 24th instant. Specie and  
Parcels until 5 p.m. of the 24th instant.  
(Parcels are not to be sent on board; they  
must be left at the Agency's Office.)  
For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.  
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. oc24

**PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP  
COMPANY.**  
THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.  
STEAMERS of this line will be despatch-  
ed as follows:—  
Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.  
Japan, " " Sept. 15.  
China, " " Oct. 15.  
Great Republic, " " Nov. 15.  
Japan, " " Dec. 15.  
Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or  
about same dates, connecting at Yokohama  
with above-named steamers.  
Passengers ticketed through to California,  
Mexico, Central and South America, the  
Atlantic States, and to England or France,  
both via New York and by lines from Pa-  
nama and Aspinwall.  
Return tickets issued at a reduction of  
10 % upon the whole amount for the round  
voyage.  
Connections are made at Panama with  
Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Cen-  
tral and South America, at Aspinwall with  
the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West  
India and Pacific Steamship Company,"  
(Limited) and the "French Transatlantic  
Company," and, at New York, with the  
various lines to Europe. Tickets issued  
for the following Steamship Lines: Can-  
nard, Inman, National, General Transat-  
lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam-  
ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet  
Co., New York and Bremen Steamship Co.,  
and North German Lloyd.  
Favorable arrangements have been made  
for through passengers and freight to Amer-  
ica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore,  
and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.  
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports  
of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-  
tral and South America to as far as Valpa-  
raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton  
and St. Nazaire, France.  
Freight to United States payable in ad-  
vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery  
in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad-  
ditional, at shipper's option.  
For further information, apply at the  
Agency of the Company, Praya West.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.  
Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

**Shipping.**  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.  
The Steamship  
"*DOUGLAS*,"  
Captain TOPPIN, will leave  
for the above ports on Satur-  
day, the 24th inst., at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & CO.  
Hongkong, October 20, 1868. oc24

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND  
TIENTSIN.  
The Steamship  
"*YESSO*,"  
Capt. ASHTON, will have im-  
mediate despatch for the  
above ports.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & CO.  
Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

The Diamond Line S.S.  
"*UNITED SERVICE*,"  
expedited to arrive from Eng-  
land before the end of the  
month, will proceed immediately to Shang-  
hai.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED,  
Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI.  
The first class Dutch schooner  
"*GESZEN*,"  
Capt. OUDMANS, having the  
greater portion of the Cargo on  
board, will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
WM. PUSTAU & CO.  
Hongkong, October 16, 1868. n

**Shipping.**  
FOR NEW YORK.  
The A 1 American barque  
"*STERLING*,"  
(BUILT IN 1866.)  
of 468 Tons Register, Harbinger,  
Master, having the greater portion of her  
cargo engaged, will load here, and at  
Whampoa, and have early despatch for the  
above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
OLYPHANT & CO.  
Hongkong, October 20, 1868. n

FOR SINGAPORE.  
The British barque  
"*ASCENDANT*,"  
517 Tons Register, Captain  
GARRA, will have quick des-  
patch for the above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER & CO.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. n

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The North German Ship  
"*SCHILLER*,"  
will load for the above Port  
and have despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, October 13, 1868. no24

FOR NAGASAKI DIRECT.  
The A 1 N. G. barque  
"*CATHARINA JUR-  
GENSEN*,"  
Captain PETERSON, will have  
early despatch for the above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
LANDSTEIN & CO.  
Hongkong, October 2, 1868. n

FOR MELBOURNE DIRECT.  
The British barque  
"*DOUGLASS*,"  
will have immediate despatch  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, October 2, 1868. oc23

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.  
The American Barque  
"*MAUD HELEN*,"  
Captain THOMAS, having the  
greater portion of her Cargo  
engaged, will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, September 24, 1868. 2400

FOR NEW YORK.  
The British barque  
"*PRINCE OF WALES*,"  
will load at Whampoa for the  
above port, and has room for a  
limited amount of freight, for which apply  
to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, September 26, 1868. oc26

FOR NEW YORK.  
The American Clipper-ship  
"*GAME COCK*,"  
1,149 Tons Register, Captain  
B. F. SHERRBURNE, having the  
greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will  
load here and at Whampoa, at current rates,  
and have early despatch for the above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
OLYPHANT & CO.  
Hongkong, September 19, 1868. n

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The British ship  
"*DOUGLASS*,"  
540 Tons Register, MORRISON,  
Master, will have quick despatch  
as above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BOSSMAN & CO.  
Hongkong, September 24, 1868. n

**Notices to Consignees.**  
S. S. "SHAPTESBURY" FROM BOM-  
BAY & SINGAPORE.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
named steamer are requested to send  
their Bills of Lading for countersignature in  
to the Undersigned, and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo not called for within Forty-eight  
hours will be landed and stored at risk  
and expense of the Consignees.  
LANDSTEIN & CO.  
Hongkong, October 19, 1868. n

THE following cases have been landed  
and stored at the risk and expense of  
the Consignees, who are requested to take  
immediate delivery.  
Ex "*Donnat*," 7th January, 1868.  
RT 531. ... 1 Case Paper.  
B 531. ... 25 cases Arms.  
J (in diamond) 52/76. ... C. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

**Notices of Firms.**  
**NOTICE.**  
WE have authorized Mr. OLAVS BUDDE  
to sign our Firm from this date.  
DREYER & CO.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.  
**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day established myself as a  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, ATTORNEY AD-  
VOCATE and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
C. LANGDON DAVIES.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.  
**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE F.  
BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the  
Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this  
Port.  
S. L. PHELPS,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.



PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

## Shipping



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**NOTICE.**  
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NISBET in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.  
Mr. THOMAS PIM, Mr. WILLIAM NISBET OLBERT and Mr. H. SEYMOUR GRAY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date.  
RUSSELL & Co.  
China, February 15, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorized to sign our Firm for procurement at Foochow from this date.  
BIRLEY & Co.  
Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm.  
GLOVER & Co.  
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the style and firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co.  
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.  
Saigon, December 20, 1867.

## For Sale.

**FOR SALE.**  
THE following Wines, &c., of superior quality in lots to suit purchasers—  
Burgundy, Chateau d'Yquem, Champagne, Pinot and Quarts.  
Sillery Mousseux, CHAMPAGNE, Carte Noire.  
A. de Luce & Fils CLARETS, Pinks and Quarts.  
Villani CLARET, Quarts.  
CHABLIS, BURGUNDY.  
Lisfranc, Josephine, Aestich, Hock, Ruedelheim, Fleur de Meulle.  
Superior Old PORT in 1 dozen cases.  
Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and 3 dozen cases.  
Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints.  
Bartley's SCOTCH Whisky and Pints.  
Hennessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases.  
A. de Luce & Fils Brandy in 1 dozen cases.  
Apply to  
CARLOWITZ & Co.  
Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
MANILA HARD WOOD.  
Consisting of:  
MOLAVES.  
BANABAS.  
ARANGAS.  
And other descriptions.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
DRAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins.  
Apply to  
HOWARD HODGES.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
BEST KIDNEY COAL.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

**GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on  
**FRIDAY,**  
The usual large and varied assortment of GOODS, including:  
(For account of concerned.)  
Ex. Overland Mail, —  
45 Sherwood Varnish Hams.  
Also,  
60 cases fine California Potatoes, just arrived.  
30 kegs Rose Nails, assorted sizes.  
100 kegs white Zinc.  
100 cases Sill's Goshen Butter, in good condition.  
20 doz. Brokers' Bitters.  
100,000 No. 12 Leuchow Cartridges.  
41 doz. Tins: Blue Paint.  
50 doz. Pocket Knives superior quality.  
70 packets Note Paper.  
100 doz. pairs superior Scissors.  
Etc., etc.  
Sundry Household FURNITURE and EFFECTS.  
And any other GOODS that may offer.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1868. oc23

**WANTED.**  
TONNAGE to Amoy for 300 to 400 Tons of Dead Weight.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
—Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

**HOTEL D'EUROPE.**  
THE Undersigned, Proprietor of the newly re-opened HOTEL D'EUROPE, begs to inform the Public that they will find every accommodation at the above Hotel at the most reasonable charges.  
Breakfast every morning at 11.30 A.M., and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.  
—BREAKFASTS and DINNERS supplied at Private Residence on reasonable terms. ICE, &c., always on hand.  
CHAS. FANNING.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1868. nov

**HALL & CO.,**  
General & Commission Agents  
NAGASAKI.

## New Advertisements.

## VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

**Committee:**  
The Hon. WM. KESWICK, Chairman.  
J. RICKETT, JR., Esq.  
RICHARD F. HAWKE, Esq.  
A. W. GLENNIE, Esq.  
A. McLEOD, Esq., Hon. Secretary.

## PROGRAMME of the 16th Annual Meeting, 1868.

## FIRST DAY.

Tuesday, 10th November, 1868.

**FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.**—For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entrance fee, \$1. Officers can officiate as Coxswains if necessary.

**SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.**—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the GOLD CHALLENGER CUP, to be won two years in succession by the same member, and a Cup valued \$25, presented by the CLUB. Entrance fee, \$5.

**THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.**—For Four oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and a-half. Prize: the CHAIRMAN'S CUP, value \$50. Entrance fee, \$10.

**FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.**—For Men-of-war's Gigs. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

**FIFTH RACE, 3.30 P.M.**—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the AMERICAN CUP, valued \$300, presented by the American Community. Entrance fee, \$5.

**SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M.**—For Canoes. Distance, from the shore to the Flag-staff, and once round. Prize: the BROKER'S CUP, value \$50. Entrance fee, \$2.

**SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.**—For House Boats pulled by Chinamen, the bond fide crews of the Boats entered. Distance, one mile. Prizes: First Boat, \$15; Second, \$5. Entrance fee, \$1.

**SAILING RACE FOR A.T. OPEN BOATS, Chinese excepted.** Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Course to be specified hereafter. Entrance fee, \$2.

**HANDICAP YACHT RACE.** For all Yachts. Entrance fee, \$5.00. Particulars of course, &c., to be named hereafter.

## SECOND DAY.

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**FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.**—For Men-of-war's Cutters. Distance, one mile. First Boat, \$20; second, \$10. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

**SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.**—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the LADIES' PURSE, presented by the Ladies of Hongkong. Entrance fee, \$5.

**THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.**—For Four-oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and a-half. Prize: the PERTHSHIRE REGATTA CUP, value \$150, presented by the Officers of H. M. 73rd (Perthshire) Regiment. The Winner of the Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$10.

**FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.**—For all Boats manned by Europeans. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entries received by the Secretary until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

**FIFTH RACE, 3.30 P.M.**—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the BIKER'S CUP, value \$100, presented by D. BIKER, Esq., Winner of the American Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

**SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M.**—For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Time for Oars. Prizes: first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Winner of the first race first day excluded. Entrance fee, \$1.

**SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.**—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the KWONG-LOONG CUP, valued \$100, presented by C. D. KEKE, Esq., Winner of any Single Pair Sculling Race in China or elsewhere excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

**EIGHTH RACE, 5 P.M.**—For four-oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile. Prize: the SIXTHS CUP, value \$150, presented by a Subscriber. Entrance fee, \$10.

**Sailing Race for Schooners and Cutters.** Full particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be duly announced.

**Ocean Race for Yachts.** Prize, the DOUGLAS CHALLENGER CUP value \$500, to be won two years successively by the same Yacht. Full particulars of course, &c., will be duly announced.

The above Programme is subject to any future alterations the Committee may find it necessary to make.

Weights, colors, and names of each Crew for Presentation Prizes for Rowing must be stated on entering Boats.

All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary, on or before the 31st October, 1868.

The Races will commence each day at 1 P.M., and Tiffin will take place on board the Flag Ship each day after the Second race.

A. McLEOD,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Victoria Regatta Club.

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**NOTICE.**  
NOW Publishing, a Series of Photographic Views of Hongkong, Canton and Macao, Characteristic Groups etc., by the Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to select from.  
In sets of 50 mounted, price, \$30.  
" " " 25 " " " 20.  
" " " 10 " " " 10.  
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FLOYD & Co.  
Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

**J. R. WHITE & CO.,**  
AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS,  
No. 93, Praya Grande,  
MACAO.  
Macao, July 21, 1868. oct21

**W. SALWAY,**  
ARCHITECT, SURVEYOR, &c.,  
10, Queen's Road Central,  
(Over Messrs. MUIR & CHATFIELD'S.)

## New Advertisements.

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

YUE CHEONG, Plaintiff,  
and  
WILLIAM REYNOLDS, Defendant.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above named Yue Cheong, against the above named William Reynolds, trading under the style or firm of Reynolds, Brothers and Company of Hongkong to recover the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, for money payable by the Defendant to the Plaintiff, for monies received by the Defendant for the use of the Plaintiff and for damages for the breach of a Charter Party made between the Plaintiff and the Defendant, whereby it was agreed that the ship *Jaco* (North-German barque) of seven thousand two hundred tons, carrying capacity should proceed from Hongkong to Yokohama with a full cargo of lawful Merchandise which the said Plaintiff agreed to ship, and there deliver the same, Freight for the same being payable, Fifteen Hundred Dollars at Hongkong, and the balance at Yokohama after delivery of the said Cargo at the rate of Thirty-eight cents per picul, (certain perils and casualties in the said Charter Party mentioned only excepted), and all conditions therein contained, and the said Plaintiff was to be entitled to the said Charter Party fulfilled and performed by the Defendant on his part, yet the ship did not proceed from Hongkong to Yokohama, and the Defendant could not and did not perform his said Agreement and it being alleged that the said William Reynolds does not reside within this island or its dependencies, a writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued returnable on the Twenty-sixth day of October instant, wherein George Batty Falconer, of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, trader, and — Collinson, Master of the British barque *Leen-fa*, are Garnishers.

Notice is hereby given thereof, and that if at any time before final judgment in this Action, the said William Reynolds or any person on his behalf, will give the security and notice, and file the same, or give the security required by the Ordinance of this Island, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in Actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony," the said Attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this Tenth day of October, 1868.  
W. GASELL,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.

## PORT OF AMOY.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted according to the Rule in use by the British Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz: to mark the Starboard side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally striped Buoys.

**KELLY SPIT.**—North end formerly marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked by a Red Buoy.

**COCKER ROCKS.**—formerly marked by a Red Buoy are now marked by a vertically striped Red and White Buoy. This Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to the E. S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order to guard Vessels against Ledges of Rock, with 16 feet water, found to exist in that direction, and it may be passed close to the Port Hand when entering the Harbour. The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Cocker Rocks, and Brown's Rock are marked by horizontally striped Buoys.

In case any of these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will be as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat or floating Beacon.

**NEW ROCK.**—In North port of Harbour, and Brown's Rock are marked by horizontally striped Buoys.

James JONES,  
Clerk in Charge,  
Office of Marine Customs,  
Amoy, August 13, 1868.

**SAYLE & Co.**  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE.  
INVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of  
Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.

Naval and Military CLOTHS.  
Light, Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.

Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.  
Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.

Quilting and Marcella VESTINGS.  
The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SCARFS in great variety.  
The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.

Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.  
PAJAMAS.

Gauze, Marine and Silk UNDERVESTS.  
HOSIERY of all kinds.

Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in Various Shapes.  
Household LINENS of every description.

A large Stock of French PRINTED MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns.  
French Printed CAMBRICS.

Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy Silk GAUZES.  
Grenadines and other New Fabrics Embroidered, Printed and Made-up SKIRTS.

ORISOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES and LACES of all descriptions.  
Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS.

FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.  
Ladies' and Children's UNDER-CLOTHING.  
Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY.  
LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c.  
Lace and Muslin CURTAINS.  
Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

**GEORGE GLASSE,**  
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO)  
KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY  
LONDON, AND 28, PLACE  
VENDOME, PARIS)  
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN  
CHEMIST  
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,  
HONGKONG.  
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS  
SUPPLIED & REFITTED.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

**JOHN THOMPSON & Co.,**  
DISPENSING & ANALYTICAL  
CHEMISTS  
AND  
SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS.  
Ships' Medicine Chests supplied and refitted.  
"TEETH EXTRACTED."  
INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY,  
23, Wellington Street,  
Hongkong.  
Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

**EASTLACK & WINN,**  
Surgeon Dentists,  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.  
HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA  
& JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND  
QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN."

## EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.)  
We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr. D. Denmy, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.)  
Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*, published monthly by Mr. Saint, the proprietor of the *China Mail* newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the feeling of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "London Examiner," May 16, 1868.)  
This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an accurate, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr. N. B. Denmy; and the elaborate maps and plates, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. \*\*\*

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghai, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of its divisions, streets, and places.

In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found a succinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans.

The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious index and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the volume. The entire work affords a vast amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the Eastern seas.

**POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.**  
MAILS WILL CLOSE:  
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.—Per "DOUGLAS," on Saturday, the 24th instant, at 11 A.M.  
For SHANGHAI.—Per "CHINA," to-morrow, the 22nd instant, at 3 P.M.  
For SHANGHAI.—Per China, to-morrow, the 22nd instant, at 4 P.M.

**ARRIVALS.**  
Oct. 21, *Arif*, Brit. steamer, 700, Johnson, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, Oct. 18, 19 and 20, General.—P. & O. Co.  
Oct. 21, *Jalavi*, Brit. ship, 716, Carruthers, Put back leaky, bound to Iloilo, Ballast.—Order.  
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(From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.)  
Summary of Imports and Exports passed at the Canton River Steam Office during the week ended 17th October.

Imported per *Kinshan* and *Poyang*, from Hongkong:—  
948 bales Bengal Cotton.  
508 bales Bombay Cotton.  
243 bales Cotton Yarn.  
1076 pigs Lead.  
40 boxes Quicksilver.  
182 bales Indigo.  
21 bales Medicine.  
45 bundles straw Mats.  
12 baskets dried Prawns.  
9 cases Hird Lead.  
5 bales Native Ginseng.  
39 cases Tobacco.  
4 packages Nankin.  
74 chests Patna and Malwa Opium.  
120 bales and cases Cotton Goods.  
67 bales and cases Woollen Goods.  
4 boxes Tea.  
184 packages Sundries.

Exported per *Kinshan* and *Poyang* to Hongkong:—  
1147 cases and bales Silk.  
638 cases Fujian.  
111 cases Silk piece Goods.  
126 bales Cocoon.  
10 bales Silk Refuse.  
88 cases Shawia, Handkerchiefs, &c.  
200 cases Kittyaw.  
24 boxes Glass Beads.  
820 rolls Matting.  
92 packages Paper.  
37 baskets green Ginger.  
258 boxes Preserves.  
135 cases Glass Bangles.  
10 cases Trunks.  
32 packages China Ware.  
11 cases Umbrella.  
6 tons Fire Crackers.  
145 tons (507 piculs) Cassia.  
65 tons Tea.  
457 packages and parcels Sundries.

Summary of Imports and Exports, into and from the Canton Custom House, by the Native Craft during the week ended 18th October.

Imported from Hongkong:—  
501 bales Alum.  
71 bales Botolph.  
237 bales Biche-demer.  
751 bags Chaff.  
540 bales Cotton.  
6,896 Cocon-nuts.  
43 packages Cattle Fish.  
40 bags Flour Arrowroot.  
87 packages dried Fish.  
122 packages Salted Fish.  
135 bags Gambier.  
55 packages Broken Glass.  
51 packages Window Glass.  
7 bales Ginseng.  
182 bales Gum Olibanum.  
1,200 pieces Buffalo Hides.  
30 tubs Liquid Indigo.  
4,877 packages and 113 piculs Nail Rods, Bars and Hoops.  
201 packages old Copper.  
230 pigs Lead.  
120 pigs Tin.  
110 packages Medicine.  
93 bags dried Mussels.  
563 piculs Peas.  
120 Figs.  
138 Hardwood Planks.  
509 packages dried Persimmon.  
22,969 bags and 108 piculs Rice.  
15,760 bundles Rattans.  
97 piculs Sassafras.  
80 piculs Jossamine, Sceds.  
25 cases Tobacco.  
1,009 bags Wheat.  
470 piculs and 296 pieces Red Wood.  
30 piculs Paddy.  
51 packages Shark's Fins.  
30 boxes Tea.  
44 jars Varnish.  
562 packages Sundries.

Exported to Hongkong:—  
215 bundles Straw Mats.  
25 packages Bamboo Ware.  
20 cases Preserved Botulnuta.  
93 packages Charcoal.  
65 baskets China Root.  
110 packages Chinaware.  
45 Earthen Jars.  
17 baskets Earthen Ware.  
1,600 jars pickled Garlic.  
64 baskets Green Ginger.  
33 packages Ironware.  
174 Iron Pans.  
270 cases Joss Sticks.  
105 packages Marble Slabs.  
3,705 bundles Mat Bags.  
40 packages Medicine.  
80 packages Paper.  
1,056 pieces and 200 packages Planks.  
544 jars and 127 cases Samscho.  
3 cases Silk Ribbons and Thread.  
30 cases Soy.  
390 bags Sugar.  
207 chests.  
162 packages Tea.  
1,400 jars.  
130 pigs Tea Leaf.  
50 packages Tobacco.  
40 cases Umbrellas.  
50 baskets fresh Vegetables.  
55 pieces and 30 packages Woodware.  
28 pieces Furniture.  
11 tubs Red and White Lead.  
50 Poles.  
1,284 packages Sundries.

## LATEST SHIPPING.

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67 bales and cases Woollen Goods.  
4 boxes Tea.  
184 packages Sundries.

Exported per *Kinshan* and *Poyang* to Hongkong:—  
1147 cases and bales Silk.  
638 cases Fujian.  
111 cases Silk piece Goods.  
126 bales Cocoon.  
10 bales Silk Refuse.  
88 cases Shawia, Handkerchiefs, &c.  
200 cases Kittyaw.  
24 boxes Glass Beads.  
820 rolls Matting.  
92 packages Paper.  
37 baskets green Ginger.  
258 boxes Preserves.  
135 cases Glass Bangles.  
10 cases Trunks.  
32 packages China Ware.  
11 cases Umbrella.  
6 tons Fire Crackers.  
145 tons (507 piculs) Cassia.  
65 tons Tea.  
457 packages and parcels Sundries.

Summary of Imports and Exports, into and from the Canton Custom House, by the Native Craft during the week ended 18th October.

Imported from Hongkong:—  
501 bales Alum.  
71 bales Botolph.  
237 bales Biche-demer.  
751 bags Chaff.  
540 bales Cotton.  
6,896 Cocon-nuts.  
43 packages Cattle Fish.  
40 bags Flour Arrowroot.  
87 packages dried Fish.  
122 packages Salted Fish.  
135 bags Gambier.  
55 packages Broken Glass.  
51 packages Window Glass.  
7 bales Ginseng.  
182 bales Gum Olibanum.  
1,200 pieces Buffalo Hides.  
30 tubs Liquid Indigo.  
4,877 packages and 113 piculs Nail Rods, Bars and Hoops.  
201 packages old Copper.  
230 pigs Lead.  
120 pigs Tin.  
110 packages Medicine.  
93 bags dried Mussels.  
563 piculs Peas.  
120 Figs.  
138 Hardwood Planks.  
509 packages dried Persimmon.  
22,969 bags and 108 piculs Rice.  
15,760 bundles Rattans.  
97 piculs Sassafras.  
80 piculs Jossamine, Sceds.  
25 cases Tobacco.  
1,009 bags Wheat.  
470 piculs and 296 pieces Red Wood.  
30 piculs Paddy.  
51 packages Shark's Fins.  
30 boxes Tea.  
44 jars Varnish.  
562 packages Sundries.











## Post-Office Notifications.

It is hereby notified for general information that hereafter the Postage chargeable on Books and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America transmitted via the United Kingdom will be as follows, viz.:

**Via Southampton.**  
Under 4 ounces, 12 cents.  
Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces, 24 " "  
Above 8 ounces and not exceeding 12 ounces, 36 " "  
Above 12 ounces and not exceeding 16 ounces, 48 " "  
For every additional 4 oz., 12 "

**Via Marseilles.**  
Under 4 ounces, 16 cents.  
Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces, 32 " "  
Above 8 ounces and not exceeding 12 ounces, 48 " "  
Above 12 ounces and not exceeding 16 ounces, 64 " "  
For every additional 4 oz., 16 "

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, June 18, 1868.

1.—On the 1st October next, and thereafter Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama, on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz.:

For sums not exceeding £2, 12 cents.  
Above £2 and not exceeding £5, 24 " "  
Above £5 and not exceeding £10, 48 " "  
For sums exceeding £10, 12 " "

2.—No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, showing the Counties in which they are situated, are being put for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initials of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs, such as "Messrs. Richardson," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co.," is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Bank; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and he presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted, provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarried or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a Lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new Order.

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected, or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn; for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become necessary.

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claims to the Money will be forfeited, unless under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received.

18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai, or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command,  
**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.**  
The Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.

At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour, a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 360 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.

At Whampoa the Company have the Repairing of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.

The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any size.

At Whampoa the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at reduced rates.

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHEUS" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates.

For particulars, apply to  
**JOHN INGLIS,**  
Acting Secretary.  
Or to  
**A. D. MITCHELL,**  
Manager of Works.  
Company's Office, H. Kong Hotel Building,  
Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

**HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**SHAREHOLDERS** are requested to take notice that the seventh call of Fifty Shares on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st December next and will be payable at the office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged after the above date.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
**GEORGE N. MINTO,**  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1868.

**FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.**

HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet; neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the blocks and is pumped out by Steam.

For further particulars as to the price of cooping, etc., etc., apply to  
**E. D. TILGHMAN, Esq.,** Messrs De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyd & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug, "WOOSUNG," Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application to

**JOHN C. SKEY,**  
Manager.  
Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

**Insurances.**

**JOEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
LONDON.  
Incorporated 1869.

**CAPITAL—£1,000,000.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.

**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

**ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1838.  
CAPITAL, £500,000.

Managing Agents in China, — Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, — J. IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.

For further particulars, forms of proposals, etc., apply to  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Managing Agents in China.  
Hongkong, June, 1867.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsou, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to  
**ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.**  
Agents Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

**Insurances.**  
**LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.

**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

**JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.

**ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, 2/3 " "  
Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.

**ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.**  
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

**PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.

**DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

**NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO.**  
THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at the Ports of Tientsin and Kowloon, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSURANCE at current rates.

**DODD & Co.**  
Tientsin, 10th August, 1868.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.

**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

**NOTICE.**  
**IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.

**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances, viz.:

Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, 1 per cent.

**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

**BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY AND FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.

**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, 1 per cent.

**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

**NOTICE.**  
**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months, 2/3 " "  
Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.

**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms.

**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

**Insurances.**  
**NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.  
ESTABLISHED 1806.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000  
ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927.  
ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

**GILMAN & Co.**  
Haeongkong, Ju 21, 1864.

**NOTICE.**  
**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 per cent.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 2/3 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.

**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

**LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances:—

One month, 1/2 per cent.  
Three months, 2/3 " "  
Six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.

**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
(Established 1st January, 1863.)  
CAPITAL, Tls. 1,500,000, or £1,500 SHARES, FOR Tls. 1,000 EACH.  
Paid up Capital, Tls. 500,000, or Tael 500 per Share.

**Provisional Committee.**  
**W. J. BRYAN, Esq., Chairman.** (Messrs TURNER & Co.)  
**F. H. BELL, Esq.** (Messrs W. R. ADAMSON & Co.)  
**A. MURPHY, Esq.** (Messrs CHAMMAN, KING & Co.)  
**E. H. LAVER, Esq.** (Messrs GILMAN & Co.)  
**F. PORTER, Esq.** (Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.)  
Directors of the Company, 1866-68.

A General Meeting held on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869, and the Undersigned hereby give notice that the Resolutions in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868.

Applications for Shares from Persons not resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company.

In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be opened in London, on 1st January, 1869.

By order of the Court of Directors,  
**JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,**  
Secretary.

Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

**Form of Application for Shares.**  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.  
GENTLEMEN,

I hereby request that you will allot to me Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to me, and agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so.

Gentlemen,  
Your obedient Servant,  
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**Resolutions referred to above.**  
RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company" shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec. 1871.

RES. II.—That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company.

RES. III.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; paid up Capital, Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue a prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment. 3100

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, 2/3 " "  
Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
General Managers,  
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLION STERLING.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

**Insurances.**  
**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, 2/3 " "  
Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 2/3 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.

**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.**  
Agents the Queen Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

**MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.**  
PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at current rates.

**OLYPHANT & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 9, 1867.

**NOTICE.**  
**GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.**  
ESTABLISHED 1821.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates.

**OLYPHANT & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

**ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
FIRE AND LIFE.  
CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(LIFE DEPARTMENT.)  
22 per cent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing.

The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assureds.

An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters.

By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.

Free to Medical Referees paid by the Company.

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement.

Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured.

Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permanent resident in Europe—

**AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.

**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

**REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.**  
THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EFFECTS, therein contained.

In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent.

The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz.:

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Fire Glass China House and their Contents, 1 1/2 per cent.  
Other Risks as per special arrangement.

**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

**Insurances.**  
**NOTICE.**  
**ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz.:

Not exceeding One Month, 1/2 per cent.  
Above One Month and not exceeding Three Months, 2/3 per cent.  
Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months, 3/4 per cent.  
Above Six Months, The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent.

**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**LIFE ASSURANCE.**  
THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board.

**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz.:

On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein, in Hongkong, \$50,000; in Macao \$45,



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## VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.	Intended Despatch.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—				
SHANGHAI	China	N. G. str.	Siemens & Co	
Do.	Ed King	Br. str.	A. Heard & Co	
Do.	Gosnia	Du. str.	Wm. Pustau & Co	
YOKOHAMA	Oscar Vidal	N. G. bk.	Siemens & Co	
NAGASAKI	C. Jurgensen	N. G. bk.	Landstein & Co	
OTHER PORTS—				
LONDON	Bella	Br. bk.	Smith, Archer & Co	
Do.	Chetah	Br. bk.	John Burd & Co	
Do.	Cores	Br. bk.	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Do.	John Lidgett	Br. bk.	Gibb & Co	
Do.	Shuoles	Br. bk.	Arnold Karberg & Co	
EUROPE	Ophir	Br. bk.	John Burd & Co	
Do.	Kanders	Br. bk.	Arnold Karberg & Co	
Do.	Game Cook	Am. bk.	Olyphant & Co	
Do.	Merida	N. G. bk.	A. Heard & Co	
Do.	P. of Wales	Am. bk.	Olyphant & Co	
Do.	Savior Faire	Br. bk.	R. S. Walker & Co	
UNITED KINGDOM	Maud Helen	Am. bk.	A. Heard & Co	
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Douglas	Br. bk.	A. Heard & Co	
MELBOURNE	Schiller	Br. bk.	Bosman & Co	
SAIGON	Douglas	Br. bk.	R. S. Walker & Co	
Do.	Ascendant	Br. bk.	R. H. Habbib & Co	
SINGAPORE	Asia	Br. bk.	R. H. Habbib & Co	
BOMBAY	Donnai	Fr. str.	Messageries Imperiales	
SUEZ	Donnai	Fr. str.	Messageries Imperiales	
SAIGON	Madagascar	Am. bk.	Melchers & Co	
BANGKOK	Indian Warrior	Si. bk.	Chinese	
SURINAM	Omha	Br. bk.	John Burd & Co	
Do.	Veritas	Br. bk.	Turner & Co	
BANGKOK & EUROPE	Arica	Br. bk.	R. S. Walker & Co	
MANILA & SAN FRANCISCO	Akbar	Am. bk.	Bosman & Co	
FOHOW & MELBOURNE	Chieftein	Br. bk.	Carlowitz & Co	

\* At Whampoa.

† At Canton.

## MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Gun.	Tons.	Captain.
Adventure	British	steamer	—	—	M. Griffith
Algerine	British	gun-boat	3	299	C. E. Donville, Lieut.
Argus	British	steamer	—	981	Hallowes
Basilik	British	steamer	6	—	W. N. W. Hawett, V.C.
Bouncer	British	gun-boat	3	230	Rodney M. Lloyd, Lt. O.
Drake	British	gun-boat	3	—	C. Crowley, Lieut.
Dwarf	British	steamer	3	463	C. F. Walker, Comr.
Flamer	British	naval hospital	—	—	Attached to Melville
Grasshopper	British	gun-boat	3	—	Fillpot
Meeanee	British	ship	—	2219	Hy. Miller
Melville	British	naval hospital	—	—	R. Bernard, D.M.I.C. &c.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14	—	Commodore Oliver Jones
Salamis	British	Paddle-steamer	—	850	Pusey, Commander
Unadilla	U. States	gun-boat	5	180	Hatfield, Lt. Commander

## CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Gun.	Tons.	Captain.
An-lan	Chinese	gun-vessel	7	221	Godall
Chen-to	Chinese	gun-vessel	7	221	Edwards
Ching-tung	Chinese	gun-boat	4	—	Beard
Chin-lai	Chinese	gun-boat	6	—	Marcy
Fei-long	Chinese	gun-boat	5	—	Francis
Spy	Chinese	Customs' Lorchia	3	—	Masters
Sui-tung	Chinese	gun-boat	5	180	Stewart
Tien-po	Chinese	gun-boat	6	—	de Longueville

## HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

## RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	380	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	456	Benning	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kin Shan	Do.	617	—	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kiu Kiang	Do.	619	—	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Linton	Do.	69	—	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	46	—	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Poyang	Do.	379	Theband	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Prince Albert	Do.	180	Godall	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Spark	Do.	140	Wilson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Speed	Do.	140	Wilson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
White Cloud	Do.	280	Carroll	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug

\* Repairing at Hongkong.

## Shipping in Harbour.

## HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Departures, and Clearances.

O, on Pedder's Wharf.—W.D., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
1868.							
Donnai	W.C. Gordon	Foh. str.	2300	Sept. 28	Messageries Imperiales	Saigon, Suez, &c.	25th, 2 p.m.
Ellora	W. Murray	Brit. str.	1570	Sept. 28	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Indore	W.C. Green	Brit. str.	1021	Sept. 20	F. K. Banjee		
John Bright	W. Yewton	Amer. str.	677	Aug. 30	David Sassoon Sons & Co		
Kan Ka Kee	K. Rodger	Brit. str.	313	Oct. 19	Aug. Heard & Co		
Lightning	W. Jones	Brit. str.	969	Oct. 18	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Calcutta, &c.	Repairing
Norna	W.C. Tayme	Span. str.	1200	Oct. 17	P. & O. S. N. Co	Swatow, &c.	
Patino	W.C. Eyrre	Brit. str.	1274	Oct. 11	P. & O. S. N. Co	Manila	
Ottawa	W.C. Aiken	Russ. str.	624	Oct. 18	Landstein & Co		
Shaftesbury	W. Jayne	Amer. str.	1802	Oct. 19	A. Heard & Co		
Suwonada	W. Miller	Brit. str.	1804	Oct. 18	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
West Indian	W. Miller	Brit. str.	1804	Oct. 18	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Yung-hai-an	W.C. Morison	Amer. str.	447	Oct. 19	Russell & Co		

## SAILING VESSELS.

Advance	W Tams	Siam. bk.	336	October 16	Chinese	Manila	and	San Francisco
Akbar	W Crocker	Amer. sh.	906	October 6	Bosman & Co			
Alaridus	K Popp	N. Ger. sh.	813	October 26	Wm. Pustau & Co			
Alert	W Abbott	Brit. sch.	185	October 30	John Burd & Co			
Ann Adamson	E Hutton	Brit. bk.	498	October 19	Douglas Lapraik & Co			
Annette	W O'Flaherty	Brit. bk.	386	October 16	Carlowitz & Co	Bangkok	and	Europe
Aria	W Irwin	Brit. bk.	307	Sept. 28	R. S. Walker & Co			
Ascendant	W Gerdas	Brit. bk.	517	Sept. 28	R. S. Walker & Co	Singapore		Immediate
Asia	W Morrison	Brit. bk.	649	Sept. 20	R. Habbib & Co	Bombay		
August	W Hooker	Siam. bk.	470	Sept. 14	Chinese			
Australia	E M Arthur	Brit. bg.	157	October 1	Jardine, Matheson & Co			
Carolina	W Paulsen	N. Ger. sch.	266	October 16	Bourjau, Hubner & Co	Nagasaki	and	Malbourne
Catharina Jurgensen	W Petersen	N. Ger. bk.	234	October 9	Landstein & Co			
Chieftein	W Blacklock	Brit. bk.	336	October 7	Carlowitz & Co			
Chom Vo Lang	K Bloom	Chi. sch.	175	July 20	Chinese			
Conqueror	W Minchow	Siam. sh.	570	July 24	Chinese			
Croix	W Robert	Foh. sh.	760	Sept. 24	Captain			
Doucalion	E Turner	Brit. bk.	398	October 5	Bourjau, Hubner & Co	San Francisco		Early direct
Douglas	W Morrison	Brit. sh.	540	Sept. 9	Bosman & Co			
Douglas	W Hocking	Brit. bk.	330	October 1	A. Heard & Co	Melbourne		
Edgar Ross	E Bender	N. Ger. bk.	275	October 16	Siemens & Co			
Espesanza	K Onate	Span. sh.	1076	June 16	Chinese			
Exonian	W Whitburn	Brit. bk.	360	October 17	Order			
Faithful	W Hanesch	Brit. bk.	279	October 18	Siemens & Co			
Frederick	W Armstrong	Brit. sh.	903	October 8	Morgan Lambert & Co			
Gesiona	W Ordeman	Dut. sch.	544	October 14	Wm. Pustau & Co	Shanghai		
Golia	W Silva	Siam. bk.	542	August 19	Chinese			
Gravina	W Barcelos	Span. bg.	246	October 16	Remedios & Co			
Hackmatac	W Leaftus	Brit. sch.	128	October 16	Gibb, Livingston & Co			
Indian	W Struckman	Brit. bk.	369	October 19	Chinese	Bangkok		
Indian Warrior	W Young	Siam. bk.	564	August 19	Chinese			
Ile of France	E Sinclair	Brit. bk.	338	October 9	Cardowitz & Co			
Jane	W Richardson	Brit. bk.	307	October 9	Thomas Howard	London		
John Lidgett	W Palsen	Brit. sh.	770	Sept. 5	Gilman & Co			
Leen Fa	K Collinson	Brit. bk.	286	October 10	Order			
Louisa	K Leanshown	Brit. sh.	903	October 18	Bosno Company			
Lugie	K Delege	Foh. bk.	650	October 2	Landstein & Co			
Luiza Canavaro	E Demoro	Salv. sh.	1100	October 7	Wm. Pustau & Co			
Madagascar	W Protti	Aust. bk.	522	Sept. 23	Melchers & Co	Saigon		
Magi	W Cowan	Brit. bk.	220	October 16	E. Schellhaas & Co			
Mary Mildred	W Flory	Brit. sh.	465	October 8	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Melbourne and Sydney		
Maud Helen	W Thomas	Amer. bk.	650	Sept. 4	A. Heard & Co			
Moonlight	W Jurgensen	Siam. sh.	647	October 16	Chinese			
Nadenda	K Forman	Russ. sh.	526	October 12	Landstein & Co.			
Nina	K Menquita	Port. sh.	1099	August 26	R. S. Walker & Co			
Nuevo Constante	W Fabie	Span. bg.	203	October 4	Remedios & Co			
Ocean Bride	W Milton	Brit. bk.	269	October 19	Captain			
Omha	W Thomson	Brit. sh.	836	October 5	John Burd & Co	Surinam	Europe	Yokohama
Ophir	W Heas	Brit. bk.	410	October 3	Arnhold Karberg & Co			
Oscar Vidal	W Benz	N. Ger. bk.	262	Sept. 30	Siemens & Co			
Pantaloen	K Dartass	Dut. bk.	299	October 16	E. Schellhaas & Co			
President Harbitz	W Ohs	Norw. bk.	268	October 12	Siemens & Co			
Prosperity	W Varrath	Siam. sh.	604	October 19	Chinese			
Randers	E Vallentin	Dan. bk.	264	October 1	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Europe	U. Kingdom	Immediate
Savoir Faire	E Harbord	Brit. sh.	1398	August 20	R. S. Walker & Co			
Schiller	W Harbers	N. Ger. sh.	1193	Sept. 11	A. Heard & Co	San Francisco		Early
Sea Ripple	W Pringle	Brit. bk.	187	October 17	Jardine, Matheson & Co			
Sterling	W Harding	Amer. bk.	465	October 10	Olyphant & Co	New York		
Taleso	K Thomson	N. Ger. bk.	342	October 16	Wm. Pustau & Co			
Tamaris	W Tannis	Foh. bk.	471	October 6	Frederic Dagensar			
Unkel Braesig	W Schiobner	N. Ger. bk.	273	October 16	Melchers & Co			
Verena	W Edlefson	Siam. sh.	565	August 20	Order			
Veritas	W Ingram	Brit. sh.	682	October 7	Turner & Co	Surinam		
Walter	W Wotherspoon	Siam. bk.	237	October 17	Chinese			